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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

ROBERT D. BRADSHAW	) Case No. CV 05-0027
Plaintiff	
v.	
COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS (hereafter referred to as the CNMI); et. al.	) PLAINTIFF'S MEMORANDUM ) OPPOSING DEFENDANT SOSEBEE'S ) MOTION TO QUASH SERVICE OF ) SUMMONS
Defendants	j
	) Hearing at 0900 AM, May 25, 2006
	_) Judge Alex R. Munson

- 1. Comes now plaintiff to oppose Defendant L. David Sosebee's Motion to Quash service of Summons on him.
- 2. In accordance with 7 CMC 1104(a), plaintiff attempted service on defendant Sosebee by certified mail, return receipt requested. Mr Sosebee refused this mailing (copies of these mailing documents are on file in the 05-0027 case file). On Nov 17, 2006, the Court ordered service by publication (plaintiff mailed a copy of the order to defendant in Texas).

- 3. On Feb 9, 16, 23 and Mar 2, 2006 service by publication was made in the Marianas Variety paper, per the court order. Copies of these notices have been filed in the case file.
- 4. In March 2006, plaintiff also mailed copies of the summons, amended complaint and second amended compliant all to Mr Sosebee in Texas by regular first class mail with delivery confirmations. While plaintiff had no obligation to mail these documents to Mr Sosebee, they were mailed as a courtesy to him.
- 5. Per Mr Sosebee's motion to guash, it appears that he received at least the Second Amended Complaint. Per the delivery confirmation records filed with the court, the Post Office says that all of these mailings were delivered to the defendant in Texas.
- 5. In paragraph 5 of Mr Sosebee's declaration in support of his motion, he claims that he never received Plaintiff's first Amended complaint. Yet, per the Post office confirmation (#0304 7990 0000 3040 3945, as filed in the return of service on this item filed in the court on or about Apr 25, 2006), Mr Sosebee did receive the first amended complaint as well as the complaint and the summons on Mar 6, 2006.
- On April 24, 2006, plaintiff filed a default motion in the court for not answering. The next day a notice was filed with the court on plaintiff's failure to receive Mr Sosebee's answer. This motion and notice were also mailed by first class mail to Mr Sosebee as a courtesy.
- 6. The courtesy mailings of the summons, the complaint, the amended complaint, the Second Amended Complaint and other documents do not negate, alter or invalidate the service made by publication in the local Saipan paper. The newspaper notices surely came to Mr Sosebee's attention via his local attorney, the CNMI AG.

I declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Dated this 7th day of May 2006 at Calder, Idaho.

Robert D. Bradshaw, Plaintiff, Pro Se

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 7th day of 2006, I caused to be served a true copy of the foregoing document by US Mail Postage Paid to each of the following:

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v.	
COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS (hereafter referred to as the CNMI);  Defendants	) (PROPOSED) ORDER ) )
Defendant L. David Sosebee's Motion	to Quash Service of Summons is denied.
IT IS SO ORDERED.	
DATED thisday of	2006.
	ALEX R. MUNSON Judge